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LOCALETS

F. O. McKenna is on a professional visit to Calgary.

T. A. Kennedy returned Tuesday from a visit to Calgary.

There will be Catholic services in Lomond on Wednesday, Nov. 28th.

Born - At Wheat Center on Tuesday, November 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hamm, a son.

The threshing of flax, delayed to this late date by the snow storm of a few weeks ago, was finished up this week.

A C. P. R. wrecking crew came in yesterday and picked up bodily the old station buildings, taking them to parts unknown.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Horton of Standard are down this week calling on acquaintances at Wheat Center and Badger Lake.

Andrew W. Tulloch and W. V. Baker are in Calgary this week attending a convention of the U. G. G. Co. delegates, they representing the Lomond local.

Hedges & Wogsberg are drilling a well near their barn. The drilling outfit started to work Thursday, and today, at a depth of seventy feet, struck a strong flow of water.

The four-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harris of Eyremore died early Monday morning after an illness of only a few hours with acute pneumonia. Interment was made in Lomond cemetery on Tuesday.

The Misses Ada and Flossie Farrel and Mr. Frank Wilson attended the wedding in High River on Monday of Miss Clara L. Hoch to Mr. Alfred Wieser. Mr. and Mrs. Wieser left on a three-months' honeymoon in California.

The exemption board is off duty today, as their schedules have run out - this perhaps being due to our mail service. Some of the boys have returned from their medical exams, Bert Gorman being classed B 2 and Albert Finley A 2.

Local improvement, embodying the grading of Center street and the building of sidewalks, is being gone ahead with by the village council in earnest this week. An engine and two four-ups have been at work on the grading for two or three days, doing a very creditable job.

An unreserved auction sale of farm stock, implements and household effects will be held on the farm of James Shaw, S. E. 6-17-19, west 4, three miles north and two miles east of Lomond, Monday, December 3rd, commencing at 1 sharp. Free lunch served at noon. Terms, cash.

The Harmony club will give their next dance in the I. O. O. F. hall on Friday evening next, November 30th. Klebe's orchestra of Vulcan will play. The last event was a very enjoyable affair, though starting a trifle late owing to the orchestra getting on the wrong trail leading into town.

The Armada Red Cross ladies are arranging for a very interesting enter-

tainment to be held in the Armada school house on Wednesday, November 28th. Rev. Schragg of Vulcan will deliver a lecture, while Mr. Glover, Mr. and Mrs. Simons, and Miss Peace, also of Vulcan, will contribute to the musical part of the programme. Lunch will be served. Tickets, 50c.

Badger Lake Oyster Supper.

Keep in mind the date of the second annual Red Cross oyster supper to be held at Badger Lake on Friday evening, December 7th. Those who attended last year will tell you of the liberal servings given, etc. An interesting program is being prepared, consisting of a forty-minute comedy sketch entitled "A White Shawl." In addition to this there will be musical selections from a number of outsiders. Everybody come.

Getting Fritz's Goat.

Below is an interesting extract taken from a letter received by Pat Connolly from his brother, who is serving with the Canadian artillery in France. It serves as an enlightenment as to conditions the boys are up against:

The war is still ripping ahead. There is no decision, but there is one thing as sure as day, and that is, the Germans are catching hell and catching it proper, and will never get it lighter than they are now. They will get it harder next year. Honestly, Pat, one has to almost feel sorry for the poor devils when the British artillery opens up on them. A louse couldn't squeeze between the shells flying through the air. I would not be surprised to see the finish any time, although it may last a couple of years longer. I do not regret having enlisted. I wouldn't have missed the excitement for anything. It is hell at the time but one laughs at it when it is all over. I'll swear that I lost thirty pounds in one day. We fired all afternoon under shell fire. Whew! It was warm. Expected a R. I. P. at any moment. Finally Fritz got tired and turned about twenty guns loose on us. Well, we had to quit and retire to a dug-out. You couldn't light a candle in that dug-out, and there were at least one hundred direct hits on it. We had a hell of a time getting out the next morning, but managed to do so. You have never seen the effects of splinters from bursting shells. I have seen small pieces pierce two and a half in. of gun steel and larger pieces cut gun wheels in two. It will take years to get the Germans to the Rhine. Douglas Haig doesn't care about that. We can beat them here as easily as we could there, so do not be discouraged at the small progress.

Well, I will close now, so cheer, oh! Maybe by the time you get this letter you will hear Fritz yelling, Mercy, Kamerad!

GUNNER L. J. CONNELLY,
Eighth Can. C. Battery.

Kinnondale Red Cross Dance

The dance at Kinnondale on Wednesday evening, which was attended by several Lomond couples, netted the Red Cross Fund \$130. Fancy work, chickens, geese, etc. helped to swell the fund to this amount.

TRAVERS

Mr. Chris. Egger was a visitor in town last week.

Mrs. G. E. Krump was a Lethbridge visitor this week.

Born - On November 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Way, a son.

C. W. Goodman, C. P. R. agent, has been transferred to Acme, Alta.

Born - On November 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dunbar, a daughter.

Mr. A. S. Buchan is the chairman for the Victory War Loan in our town.

Rev. C. Thies returned from Calgary this week, where he was visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harding and son of Lethbridge were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot last Sunday.

Mr. A. G. Jones' son-in-law, E. Baekh, was elected a first lieutenant in New York last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Jones expect to leave soon to spend the winter in different parts of the States.

Don't kick about the paper being no good, but help to make it better by sending in news for it to your local correspondent.

Mr. Earl Jones, wife and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Harman Halden and Arthur Rowlands were out visiting Mrs. A. G. Jones last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wallace and Mrs. Smith were Calgary visitors last week. Mr. Wallace returned with a new Saxon six car.

Mrs. Brenner has had to part with her pet badger, as they are going to spend the winter in California. It is hoped he will make many friends in Lomond.

The dance held in Paulson's hall on November 9th was well attended. The Taber orchestra supplied the music. The next dance is to be held on the 23rd of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Roberts and daughter left Thursday for their old home at Elko, B. C. They have been farming out west of town. Mr. P. J. McCann took them into Lethbridge.

The third annual church bazaar and concert will be held on Friday evening, November 30th, in Paulson's hall. Sale of bazaar articles will commence at 3 p. m., program at 8.30. Refreshments will be served after the program. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

John S. Mavor Withdraws.

John S. Mavor, Conservative candidate for the federal electoral district of Bow River, has given out the following statement:

"My attitude as supporter of the objects of the Union government for Canada has been generally well known. I have always strongly contended that every Canadian should voluntarily sacrifice his personal inclinations for the good of his country, which at this time means, and means only, complete victory over the common enemy of the Allies. Under these circumstances it is fitting that I, as former party candidate, should not only resign my nom-

ination, but wholly eliminate myself from the field of possible nominees so that the way may be left open for the nomination of a Union candidate whose former party bias will not be a strong factor in influencing electors either for or against him.

"Permit me to take this opportunity of thanking all those electors and other persons in the constituency of Bow River who have in the past so loyally supported me, and whose confidence and trust I have endeavored to merit.

JOHN S. MAVOR.

LOMOND DISTRICT.

Ed. Bannay is having a well dug. We wish him luck.

Ed. Burne is drilling his second well, the first one being a dry hole.

The Ainlay family will live in the McIntosh home during their absence this winter in the east.

The prevailing fine weather is enabling the farmers to complete their fall work before the snow flies.

Samuel Henderson has almost completed hauling in his wheat, grown from a new variety of seed.

W. Ainlay is working at Ben Parker's place plastering a cistern and the upstairs of his residence.

Mr. Dobson intends installing platform scales on his farm next summer, and he declares his intention of selling his horses, cattle, etc., as well as his garden produce, by weight. He may decide to sell his eggs the above way also.

There is some complaint amongst the farmers as to the way a few individuals treat their horses. Cases have been known of horses barely existing on one watering a week in warm summer weather just because of lack of humanity and laziness combined. A timely hint may prevent the offenders from continuing their cruelty and save them from prosecution by the humane society.

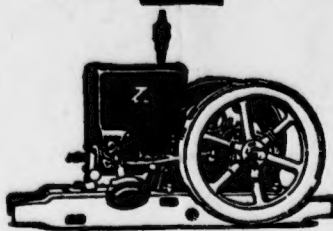
What are the Lomond District farmers doing in connection with the Victory Loan? We hear now and then of some win-the-war farmer talking in the right direction, but we have not been agreeably interrupted by any enthusiasts, as in other seemingly more loyal districts. A meeting and a good live speaker might do much to aid our boys in the trenches. Can any one deny that the boys who leave next month to prepare for the prosecution of militarism, would not go with a lighter step and with a song on their lips if they were certain that we are behind them financially to help them to our utmost? The day has come when those who have a bit of idle cash can do a large part in the European struggle between righteous laws and slavery.

There are no applications for exemptions on "Flanders Field." The only exemption there is by bullet or bayonet.

Some of us are sacrificing our honor, our liberty, and our patriotism on the altar of two-dollar wheat.

Russia was. Germany has been. Italy may be. The U. S. will be. France and the British Empire are.

**Come In
and See It!**



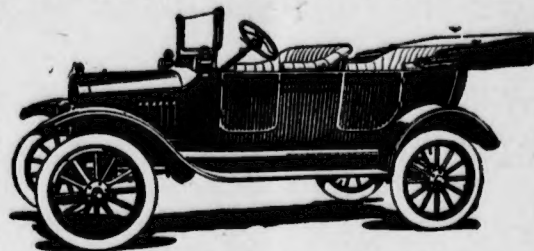
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LOMOND, ALBERTA, NOV. 23, 1917

Four Candidates in Field.

Electors will have to select their candidate through a four-name ballot on December 17th. The Unionists are running Mayor Halliday of Hanna; the Non-Partisan League, D. H. Galbraith; the Laurierites, a Mr. Gouge, and the Socialists a man whom we know not the name of.

The Socialists are holding a public meeting here Monday evening.

By reading the exchanges we are inclined to believe that the N.-P's have the best of the campaign—their organization appears to be the most thorough and compact. Only election day can give definite results.

The War.

One of the big battles of the Western front was fought and won by the British in the past week. The advance was on a front of 32 miles and in places the Huns were driven back six and a half miles. Nine thousand prisoners were taken.

On the Italian front the Hun advance has been checked and the Italians are again taking the offensive.

The Russian situation is still a Socialistic mess.

Rural Municipality of Clifton
No. 127.

Municipal Elections 1917

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the resident electors of The Rural Municipality of Clifton No. 127 will be held as undernoted on Monday, the 3rd day of December, 1917, from 12 noon to 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of Councillors for the municipality:

For Divisions I, II and III at Farmers' Hall, Travers.

For Divisions IV, V and VI at I. O. O. F. Hall, Lomond.

Given under my hand at Lomond, this 22nd day of November, 1917.

ANDREW W. TULLOCH,
Returning officer.

In Palestine the British are gradually closing in on Jerusalem.

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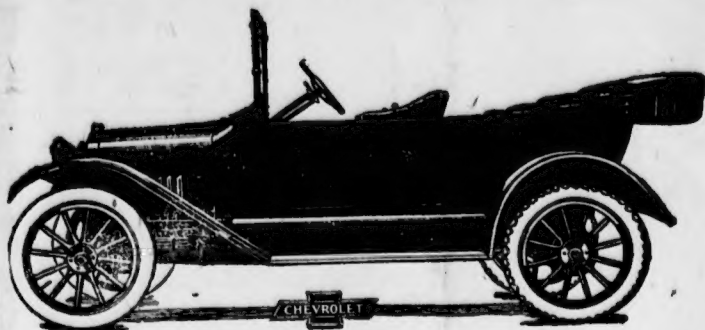
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Patronize your own business organization.

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U. F. A. Convention

Secretary Woodbridge has issued the official call for the tenth annual convention of the United Farmers of Alberta, which will be held in Calgary in January, commencing on the 22nd, and continuing for four days. Full particulars as to the place of meeting, hours, resolutions to be brought before the convention, etc., are contained in the call which follows in its entirety.

Please take careful note of the following particulars re the coming convention:

The tenth annual convention of the United Farmers of Alberta will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, January, 22, 23, 24, 25, 1918, in the First Baptist church, Calgary, corner of Thirteenth avenue and Fourth street.

All fully qualified locals of the U. F. A. are entitled to one delegate for every ten or major portion of ten paid-up members. The number of members as recorded in the central office on or before December 31 of the current year shall govern. This is in accordance with Clause 3, Section 12, of the constitution.

All delegates must secure from their local secretary the official delegates' certificate issued by the central office.

These cards will be forwarded to your local secretary as soon as word is received from him as to how many delegates your local is likely to send. Secretaries will please note that no delegates' cards will be sent out until we receive from them the requisition for a given number of delegates' cards.

All delegates should secure a one-way, single-fare first-class railway ticket, and wherever possible must travel only over one line of railway. In the event of having to travel over two lines of railway to reach the place of the convention, purchase a one-way first-class ticket for each part of the journey. With every ticket purchased by a delegate or visitor a standard certificate must be secured from the ticket agent. If the agent has no standard certificates, secure a receipt in its place. These standard certificates must be turned in to the central secretary at Calgary in order to secure the benefit of the convention rates, which mean a free pass home again.

Visitors are entitled to convention rates the same as delegates, except that they do not participate in the pool. By securing a one-way ticket and standard certificates, visitors are entitled to a free pass home again but in accordance with the resolution passed by the board of directors, all visitors will be required to pay the sum of \$1.00 into the general treasury of the U. F. A. when securing return of their standard certificate from the general secretary. This charge is being made to defray the expenses in connection with checking and sorting the certificates, which involves a considerable amount of time and trouble on the part of the central office staff, and as the single-fare rates prevailing for this convention mean a donation to those taking advantage of these rates, ranging from \$3 to \$12 in most cases, it was felt that those using the facilities secured by the association should be required to pay something towards its up-keep.

The pool rate is covered under Clause 7, Section 9 of the constitution. It means that the railway fares of all duly qualified delegates to the convention are recorded and added together, and the sum total of all fares being divided by the number of delegates pres-

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ent, thus giving an average for each man and woman. This average is the pool rate, and all delegates paying more than this average receive the difference in the form of a refund. All delegates whose fare is less than this average are required to pay in the difference between it and the amount of their fare, thus equalizing the cost of attending the convention for delegates from any part of the province. Locals are responsible for the failure of their delegates to comply with these regulations and penalties provided for under Clause 8, Section 9.

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He will live five years longer because of physical training.
He is freer from disease in the army than in civil life.
In other large wars from 10 to 15 men died from disease to one from bullets.
In this war one man dies from disease to every 10 from bullets.

Our mail service is still the worst in Canada. One of the greatest producing agricultural districts of the west is hampered by a twice a week train service which is never on time, due to an overworked train crew. Our politicians are all so busy winning the war with their mouths, that they haven't time to consider domestic affairs.

The Saskatoon Pioneer says: "There is a dispute between the C. P. R. and the conductors. Just what the point of difference is is not known, but those conversant with railway matters say that the company is demanding a share of the fares."

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PUBLIC MEETING.

A public meeting of the Electors of The Rural Municipality of Clifton No. 127 will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall, Lomond, on Friday, the 30th day of November, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the discussion of Municipal affairs.

JAMES A. MARSHALL, Reeve.

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All accounts contracted by the said firm previous to November 1st, 1917, will be paid by W. Fitzgerald, and all accounts due the firm will be collected by him.

Dated at Lomond, Alberta, this 31st day of October, 1917.

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Per W. Fitzgerald.

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